

# Owen County, IN Highlights

## Commuting

In Indiana, most workers commute to a job, either within their home county or beyond. Patterns of commuting are significant in showing the labor supply. The county *labor force* represents workers who reside in the county no matter where they work. Two types of commuting patterns are provided here - the Census 2000 *benchmark* and the annual data tabulated from state income tax returns that can help provide a more current view.

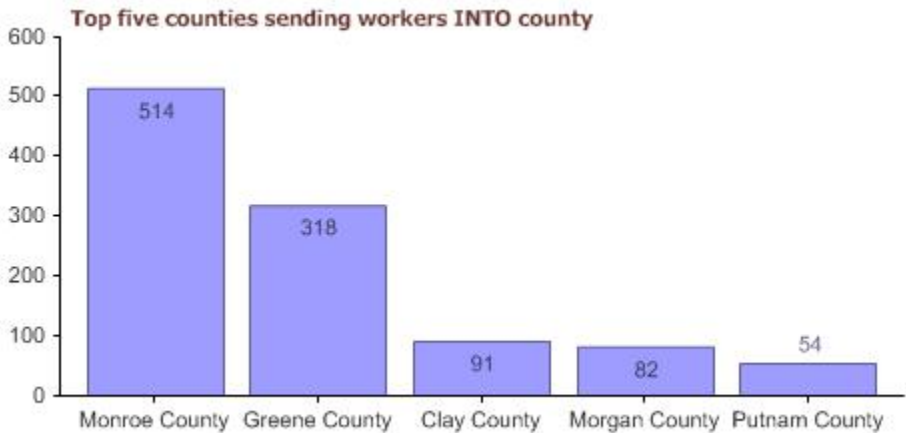
### Commuting Data, 2007

	Number
Number of tax filers who live in county and work	14,077
Number of tax filers who work in the county	9,924
Number of tax filers who live in county and work in county	8,639
Number of tax filers who live out of the county and work in county	1,285

Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

### Commuting Patterns: Top five counties sending workers INTO county, 2007

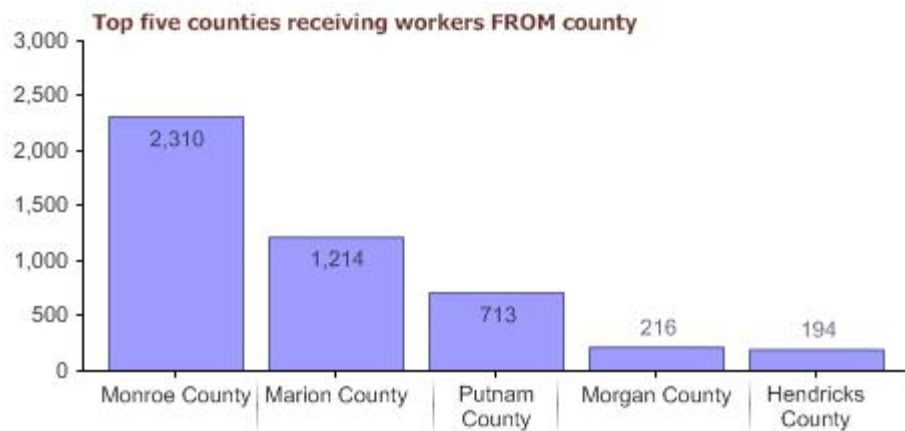
County	Number	Pct. Five County Total
Monroe County	514	48.5%
Greene County	318	30.0%
Clay County	91	8.6%
Morgan County	82	7.7%
Putnam County	54	5.1%



Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

### Commuting Patterns: Top five counties receiving workers FROM county, 2007

County	Number	Pct. Five County Total
Monroe County	2,310	49.7%
Marion County	1,214	26.1%
Putnam County	713	15.3%
Morgan County	216	4.6%
Hendricks County	194	4.2%



Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

## Travel To Work in 2000

	Number	Pct. Dist
<b>Total Workers Age 16 and Over</b>	10,100	100.0%
Travel To Work	9,738	96.4%
Car, Truck, or Van	9,461	93.7%
Traveled Alone	7,736	76.6%
Carpooled	1,725	17.1%
Used Public Transportation	10	0.1%
Motorcycle, Bicycle, Walked, Other	267	2.6%
Worked At Home	362	3.6%
<b>Average Travel Time (Minutes)</b>	33.6	
<b>Average Travel Time using Public Transportation (Minutes)</b>	10.0	

Source: US Census Bureau